

thirty-two ministerial credentials as offered by credential committee. Carried.

The following motion offered by W. L. Spanogle prevailed: Resolved that the mission board of Pennsylvania pay to elder E. H. Smith the sum of \$600 per annum and traveling expenses and that whatever collections are taken by him he shall place to his debit and so report to the mission board. Report of treasurer Knepper showed a total of \$40.50. Moved by I. D. Bowman that after all debts are paid, balance in hands of treasurer be turned over to State mission board. Carried.

R. E. Darling gave a brief report of the Young People's work of Pennsylvania. Report accepted.

L. S. Bauman was elected president of the Young People's work for the ensuing year.

Moved that the seal of the conference be placed on the lay credentials. So ordered.

Remarks by L. S. Bauman that the Young People's societies contribute liberally to painting fund of Ashland College.

First topic of the afternoon by R. E. Darling, "What the pastor expects from his members as to attending religious services and why?" General Discussion.

"How may we increase our attendance at the Bible and prayer service," by J. R. Keller. General discussion.

Moved by E. E. Haskins that a committee of three be appointed to see as to continuance of the Quarterly Missionary and Bible conferences. Carried. The chair appointed D. J. Bole, J. C. Cassel, J. B. Wampler.

Thru the kindly invitation of I. D. Bowman and L. S. Bauman our next State conference convenes at Allentown, Pa. Adjournment.

#### FIFTH SESSION

Devotional services by J. H. Knepper. Minutes read and approved.

"Theoretical and practical religion." Opened by I. D. Bowman, followed by L. S. Bauman. The chair then called for the report of committees.

On Resolutions as follows:

Resolved, That thru the goodness of God the brethren and sisters of the State of Pennsylvania have been permitted to meet together in State conference, for which we are very grateful. Also we are thankful to the Giver of all good that his protecting hand has been extended to the ministry of our beloved church and not one has been taken from our midst by death. Also thankful for the beautiful weather during this session.

Resolved, That this State conference approve of the work being done by the auxiliaries of the church, the Sisters' Society for Christian Endeavor, the Sunday-school and the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor and that the officials of our next conference grant these societies a place on the future program of this conference, if the officers of such societies may so desire, thus showing the approval of the same.

Resolved, That we heartily approve of the thorough, faithful and practical work of the mission board of the past year, that we express our thanks for the same and that we ask the members of the churches of the State to offer frequent prayers for them during the year to come and that we urge every church to liberally support the same.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this conference of the Brethren churches of Pennsylvania shall exert every influence possible against the demon of intemperance, teach total abstinence in our homes, in our schools, Sunday-schools and churches, voice against it by our votes, local and national.

Resolved, That we as Brethren deplore the lawless tendencies of certain classes of people in this country, the climax of which resulted in the assassination of our honored president. That we do all we can as God's children and law-abiding citizens to suppress the spirit of lawlessness wherever it may appear.

Resolved, That this conference extend its sympathy to the broken hearted widow of the late president,

ident, the chief ruler of the land, that insures its citizens the inestimable privilege of worshipping God at all times according to the dictates of conscience.

We most heartily extend our thanks to the choir for its promptness in responding to calls for music and also for the inspiring music rendered.

Resolved, That thanks be extended to the officers of this conference, each and all from chairman to the zealous treasurer for faithful performance of duty.

Signed,

LOUIS S. BAUMAN,  
ISAAC D. BOWMAN,  
R. Z. REFLOGLE,  
J. R. KELLER,  
W. A. HARMON,

Moved and seconded that a copy of these resolutions pertaining to death of President McKinley, with seal of conference, be sent to Mrs. McKinley. Carried by a unanimous rising vote.

Several \$5 pledges of S. S. C. E. for Ashland College were taken by I. D. Bowman at this juncture. E. E. Haskins made a very gratifying statement that every dollar raised at the closing session of this conference would be doubled by a generous friend of his. Thru the untiring efforts of J. H. Knepper \$103 was raised in cash or pledges payable in 30 days. Collection \$5.27. Total \$108.27 or this amount doubled \$216.54 as a fund for State mission work as a fund to start with.

Three minute farewell speeches by delegates, voicing heartily that this was the best and most harmonious of any previous conference held in Pennsylvania. After singing doxology, J. B. Wampler pronounced the benediction. All minutes approved.

R. E. DARLING, Moderator.  
L. A. HAZLETT, Secretary.

#### Communion Services

The Bethesda congregation will hold their semi-annual communion on Sunday evening, November 17. All are invited. HATTIE KANAUER.

Communion services will be held at the Liberty church, Bedford County, Pa., on Sunday November 24. Services Sunday 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M.

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J. R. KELLER.

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J. R. KELLER.

The Dayton Mission will hold communion services on Tuesday evening Nov. 12th. All are cordially invited. J. L. KIMMEL.

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